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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

FROMMER LAWRENCE & HAUG LLP

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **REGULATED GENE EXPRESSION IN PLANTS**, filed December 7, 2000 and assigned Serial No. 09/732,348.

We have reviewed and understand the above-identified specification, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

We claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of GB00/01580.0 filed January 24, 2000, pending. Insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that prior application in the manner provided by 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the filing date of this Application.

We hereby appoint Thomas J. Kowalski, Registration No. 32,147; Susan K. Lehnhardt, Registration No. 33,943; Marilyn M. Brogan, Registration No. 31,086; and Frommer Lawrence & Haug LLP, or their duly appointed associate, our attorneys or agents, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to file continuation and divisional applications thereof, to receive the Patent, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and in the Courts in connection therewith, and specify that all communications about the application are to be directed to Thomas J. Kowalski, Ph.D., Esq. at the following correspondence address:

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We declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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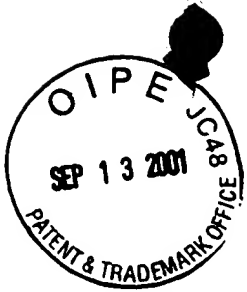
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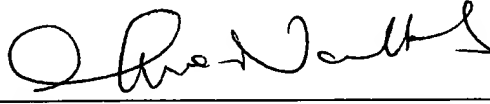
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